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Gentlemen, Ladies, Honorable Members of the FCC,
A comment on the 160 meter band 12-338.

The current spectrum here in the Atlanta is devoid of non-amateur use detectable by my amateur radio receiver.

No other users of this band can be heard.

Primary status for Amateurs seems to have been given by other users by default.

No Governmental or direction finding beacons are heard, only Amateur Radio signals.

I request that you give primary status in the United States to the Amateur Radio Community.

Few if any signals of any type are heard on adjacent bands

It is well within your means to create the following situation:

Primary status could be granted to Amateur Radio operators from 1.800 to 2.000 Mhz.

Secondary band privileges could be expanded for use from 2.000-3.300 Mhz.

Thank you for taking my comment.

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